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After ..... "Coastal states is prohibited" in paragraph 1 of Article 1 add:

"provided that where such 12 mile maritime zone overlaps a similar zone in respect of another state, signatory to the treaty, both states so affected shall waive their rights in regard to the use of such maritime zone for military purposes and shall accept the verification obligations in this treaty within such zone without prejudice to their rights under the United Nations Continental Shelf Convention of 1953".

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